

Offering their services as we worship God today:

Greeter: Russ Cullivan

Ushers: Russ & Liz Cullivan, Pat Frost, Marylou White

Coffee Hour: Rebecca & Charlotte Roy

Offering Counters: Sue Reynolds & Bruce Prouty

Organist/Pianist/Choir Director

Ben Healy

Secretary

Melissa Anderson

Nursery Attendants

Kelly Hatch & Alyssa Reynolds

Custodian

Dave Malcolmson

Pastor

Rev. Y. Joe Kim

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OUR VISION STATEMENT is to create a true Christian family environment that spreads and grows into the community and allows the community to experience a closer relationship to Christ.

STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT: As members of the body of Christ, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, and our service.

October 21, 2018 10:00am

Laity Sunday



We're glad you're here!

Today's Worship Leader: Jeff Shultz

We Gather to Praise God

Praise and Worship (9:50-10:00)

How Majestic Is Your Name

FWS #2023

From the Rising of the Sun

FWS #2024

We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

FWS #2031

Opening Prayer

Welcome & Ministry Highlights

***Hymn**

UMH #660

“God Is Here”

***Today's Bible Reading**

Ephesians 4:7-13

1 Peter 4:8-11

(New Testament pages 193 & 235 in the pew Bible)

Sermon

Ann Burnham

“Open Your Present!”

Song of Thanksgiving

UMH #657

“This Is the Day”

Giving Tithes and offerings

(response to God's grace)

Leader: For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that all who love him may have life eternally. (John 3:16)
With loving hearts, let us bring our offerings to God.

All: As we count all the blessings God has already given to us, we cheerfully give our offerings to God, the Provider, with grateful hearts. Amen! (2 Corinthians 9:7)

Offertory Anthem

FWS #2074

“Shout to the Lord”

*The Doxology (a song of glory to God)

UMH #95

“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

*Prayer of Dedication

(the leader prays over the gifts of the people)

Joys, Concerns & Prayer

*Song of Discipleship

UMH #582

“Whom Shall I Send?”

*Benediction (a closing word for God's people)

*Postlude & Passing the Peace

UMH #666

“Shalom to You”

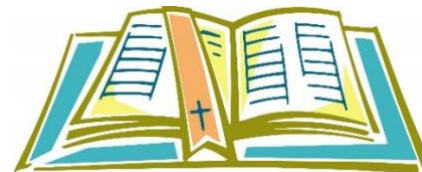
(music as we leave worship and re-enter the world as Christ's servants)

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*Congregation is invited to stand if able

**UMH – red *United Methodist Hymnal*

**FWS – black *The Faith We Sing Hymnal*



The Nov/Dec issue of The Upper Room devotional is available and located on the literature table at the back of the sanctuary. Donations to help offset the cost of materials are appreciated.



Christmas Bazaar

Saturday, November 10

10:00 – 3:00

- ★ Handmade arts & crafts by local crafters ★
- ★ Christmas Decorations ★
- ★ Bake Sale ★
- ★ Apple Cider Doughnuts ★
- ★ Clam Chowder (Rock Bottom Seafood!) ★

Announcements and Notices

THIS WEEK (October 21 - 27)

TODAY	9:30-9:50am Prayer Group (in Ladies Parlor) 9:50-10:00am Praise and Worship 10:00am Worship Service
MONDAY	<u>Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm</u> 7:00pm Church-wide Prayer Meeting
TUESDAY	8:00am AlAnon, morning meditation 6:30pm AlAnon 7:00pm Book Study @ Judie Sgarzi's
WEDNESDAY	10:00am Group Bible Study 7:00pm <i>Elder Team meeting</i>
THURSDAY	<u>Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm</u> 9:30am Knitting Group @ Charlotte Hopper's
FRIDAY	<u>Church Office Open 9:00am-2:00pm</u>
SATURDAY	6:30-8:00pm AA

Elder of the Month – Ann Burnham

If you have questions or concerns regarding any matter, please contact Ann. If she doesn't know the answer, she will research it and get back to you. All conversations & inquiries are private and confidential.

Ann can be reached at tedann84@verizon.net or 978-270-0891

Laity Sunday is a special Sunday established by the General Conference to be observed on the third Sunday of October. Laity Sunday focuses on the celebration of the ministry of all lay Christians.

This morning we welcome Ann Burnham, our lay leader.

Hardcopies of Ann's sermon today can be found on the literature table at the back of the sanctuary.

Birthday Celebrations

Herb and Jean are turning 90 years old!!
Join us at coffee hour today to help them celebrate
with cake and best wishes!

New Book Study beginning this week

Tuesdays 7:00pm at Judie Sgarzi's home

Begins October 23rd

Book: "Who Is The Holy Ghost?" by: Ray H. Hughes.
Available at Christianbookstore.com for \$8.49



Children are invited downstairs during worship service for their opportunity to learn about God and having a relationship with our Lord.

Discovering Jesus (pre-K - 1st grade)
Teachers: Julia Chick & Abigail Neff

Sunday School 101 (elementary)
Teacher: Melissa Furtado

Confirmation Class
Teacher: Cathy Sharon-Matthews



**Jean Trench Ellis
Tom and Nancy Armstrong
Denise Wilson
Hakyung Cho-Kim
Danny Held and the Held family
Dorothy Caipie
Alice Cooper
Bette Prouty
Sharon Kantzer
Barbara Wales
Sandra Knight**

The caregivers of those who are sick or in need of extra assistance.

(if you wish to have your name removed, please contact
Melissa Anderson in the church office to update the bulletin)



Joys, concerns, and updates can be added to our prayer chain
by contacting Cathy Sharon-Matthews through phone call,
text, or e-mail, 508-274-1864 or cathys_36@yahoo.com



Southeast Region Playspace Program Volunteer to Play!

Training in Bourne (at Bourne UMC) Oct. 18 6-9pm

Questions, contact Deb Linehan (d388357@yahoo.com)
who currently volunteers once a week



Plymouth County chapter is holding a Sweater and Sweatshirt
Drive in the month of October.

New & Gently Used,
Children & Adult sizes,
Sweaters & Sweatshirts
will be collected here at Swift UMC (basket in foyer).

For more information, www.altrusa.org or see Erin Wilcox.